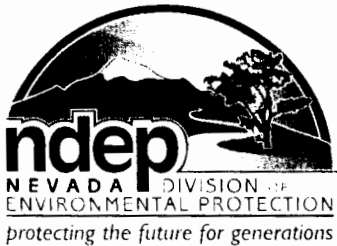


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May 9, 2008

John Koster
Harrah's
Regional President Northern Nevada
PO Box 128
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Dear Mr. Koster:

In response to the formal enforcement actions, Finding of Alleged Violation and Order dated September 27, 2007, Final Findings and Order dated March 3, 2008 the Bureau of Waste Management staff has received and reviewed the documents that were submitted by Harrah's. In addition, the Division received Check # 3932502 in the amount of \$ 2,835.00 as required by the March 3, 2008 Settlement Agreement. The formal enforcement actions were issued based on the alleged violations noted during the inspection conducted on March 30 and April 4, 2007.

The Waste Management staff has determined that the Harrah's response fulfills the requirements of the formal enforcement actions.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Annalyn Settlemeyer
Environmental Scientist
Compliance and Enforcement Branch
Bureau of Waste Management

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enc: Copy of signed Settlement Agreement
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